2009 MAINE



Individual Income Tax Booklet

Short Form 1040S-ME











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Recent tax law changes: www.maine.gov/revenue/rules/legischange09.htm.

Refund information only: www.maine.gov/revenue

To order forms: Download forms from the Maine Revenue Services web site at www.maine.gov/revenue/forms or call (207) 624-7894 - Every day 24 Hours.

NexTalk (hearing-impaired only): (888) 577-6690 *Weekdays* 8:00 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.

Assistance to help you with your tax questions: (207) 626-8475 - Weekdays 8:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.

Web FAQs: For information and answers to most Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs), go to www.maine.gov/revenue/income.

Collection problems: (207) 621-4300 - Weekdays 8:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m. Call this number if you have a tax balance due currently being collected by Maine Revenue Services that you would like to resolve.

Payment plan questions for income tax returns: (207) 621-4300 - Weekdays 8:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.

Tax violations hot line: (207) 624-9600 Call this number or send an email to <u>compliance.tax@maine.gov</u> to report possible tax violations including failure to file tax returns, failure to report all income and failure to register for tax filing.

Federal income tax information and forms: Call the Internal Revenue Service at (800) 829-1040 or see the Internal Revenue Service web site at www.irs.gov.



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Unclaimed Property worth millions of dollars.
Some of it may be yours!

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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Am I a Resident, "Safe Harbor" Resident, Part-Year Resident, or Nonresident?

To determine your residency status for 2009, read the following and check the proper box. **Retain this worksheet for your records.**

<u>Domicile</u>: Domicile is the place an individual establishes as his or her permanent home and includes the place to which he or she intends to return after any period of absence. A number of factors associated with residency are relevant in the evaluation of a claimed domicile. A domicile, once established, continues until a new, fixed and permanent home is acquired. To change domicile, a taxpayer must exhibit actions consistent with a change. No change of domicile results from moving to a new location if the intent is to remain only for a limited time, even if it is for a relatively long duration.

RESIDENCY WORKSHEET

☐ Full-Year Resident:

(1) Maine was my domicile for the entire year of 2009;

OR

(2) I maintained a permanent place of abode in Maine for the entire year <u>and</u> spent a total of more than 183 days in Maine.

☐ "Safe Harbor" Resident:

General Safe Harbor - Maine was my domicile in 2009, I did not maintain a permanent place of abode in Maine, I maintained a permanent place of abode outside Maine and I spent no more than 30 days of 2009 in Maine. Individuals qualifying under the safe harbor rule will be treated as a nonresident for Maine individual income tax purposes. If you are a "Safe-Harbor" resident, you must file Form 1040ME with Schedule NR or NRH.

Foreign Safe Harbor - I spent at least 450 days in a foreign country during any 548-day period beginning after 2006. The taxpayer must also meet other eligibility criteria. If you qualify for the Foreign Safe Harbor, you will be considered a "Safe Harbor" Resident and treated as a nonresident for the 548-day period even though you were domiciled in Maine.

For more information and examples on "Safe Harbors", see the Guidance to Residency "Safe Harbors" brochure available at www.maine.gov/revenue/forms or call the forms line at (207) 624-7894.

- □ Part-Year Resident: I was domiciled in Maine for part of the year and was not a full-year resident as defined in (2) above. If you are a part-year resident, you <u>must</u> file Form 1040ME with Schedule NR or NRH.
- □ Nonresident: I was not a resident or part-year resident in 2009, but I do have Maine-source income. Note: If you filed as a nonresident alien on your federal income tax return, file as a nonresident alien on your Maine income tax return, Form 1040ME. Follow the federal filing requirements for filing status, number of exemptions, federal adjusted gross income, and itemized deductions. If you are a nonresident, you must file Form 1040ME with Schedule NR or NRH.

For additional information on determining Maine residency, see the Maine Revenue Services *Guidance to Residency Status* and *Guidance to Residency "Safe Harbors"* brochures at www.maine.gov/revenue/forms or call the forms line at (207) 624-7894.

I AM IN THE ARMED FORCES. WHAT IS MY RESIDENCY STATUS?

Maine Resident: Except for "Safe Harbor" Residents treated as nonresidents for Maine income tax purposes (see example below), a Maine resident who enters the U.S. armed forces remains a Maine resident throughout the period of military service (even when absent from Maine on military orders) and is subject to the same filing requirements as any other Maine resident. This remains true unless you take legal action to change your residency (domicile) to another state.

Example: Paul, single, is a member of the U.S. armed forces stationed

in Arizona and domiciled in Maine. He lived in military housing in Arizona during all of 2009 and did not maintain a permanent place of abode in Maine at any time during the year. While on leave, he stayed with relatives in Maine for 15 days. Paul is a "Safe Harbor" resident and will be treated as a nonresident for Maine income tax purposes.

Nonresident: If you are not a Maine resident, but stationed in this state by military orders, your military income is not subject to Maine tax. However, if you or your spouse earned non-military pay in Maine resulting in a Maine income tax liability, you must file Form 1040ME with Schedule NR or NRH.

Instructions for Married Couples:

WE ARE BOTH FULL-YEAR MAINE RESIDENTS. HOW DO WE FILE WITH MAINE? You must file a Maine return using the same filing status as properly used on your federal return.

- I AM A FULL-YEAR MAINE RESIDENT, BUT MY SPOUSE IS NOT. HOW SHOULD WE FILE? If you filed a joint federal return you have two options:
- (1) You can choose to file a joint Maine return as if both of you were full-year Maine residents (you may qualify for Credit for Tax Paid to Another Taxing Jurisdiction, see Form 1040ME, Schedule 3);

(2) Each can file a Maine return as a single individual using **Form 1040ME with Schedule NRH**. Each return must show the proper residency status. (If the nonresident, or "Safe Harbor" resident spouse, has no Maine-source income, that spouse does not have to file a Maine return.) You may choose this option only if you filed a joint federal return. Otherwise, you must file a Maine return using the same filing status as properly used on your federal return.

WE ARE BOTH NONRESIDENTS or "SAFE HARBOR" RESIDENTS, FILED A JOINT FEDERAL RETURN, BUT ONLY ONE SPOUSE HAS MAINE-SOURCE INCOME.

You have two options:

- (1) You can choose to file a joint Maine return and determine your joint tax liability as nonresidents using Form 1040ME with Schedule NR;
- (2) The spouse who has Maine-source income can choose to file a return as a single individual using **Form 1040ME with Schedule NRH.**

WE ARE BOTH NONRESIDENTS or "SAFE HARBOR" RESIDENTS AND BOTH HAVE MAINE- SOURCE INCOME. You must file a Maine return using the same filing status as properly used on your federal income tax return, and you must complete Form 1040ME and Schedule NR.

<u>SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS — FORM 1040S-ME</u>

Note: Form 1040S-ME is designed to comply with optical scanning requirements. The spaces outlined in red must be completed carefully in black or blue ink. Letters and numbers must be entered legibly within the outline area. Letters must be in upper case only. Name, address, etc., must start on the left; dollar amounts must start from the right. For example:

Enter letters like this:

		Your Last Name SAMPLE
Spouse's First Name	MI	Spouse's Last Name

Enter dollar amounts like this:

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For information on electronic filing, visit our web site at www.maine.gov/revenue.

STEP 1: NAME, ADDRESS, SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS

If you have a pre-printed label (located on the front cover of this booklet) and your **name and address** are correct, peel it off and place it on your completed Form 1040S-ME **inside the red dotted lines**.

If you do not have a pre-printed label or the name or address on the label is not correct, please print or type your name(s) and mailing address in the spaces provided. **Social security number(s):** You **must** enter your social security number(s) in the spaces provided.

Line 1. Check the box for you and/or your spouse if you want \$3 of your tax dollars to be applied to the **Maine Clean Election Fund**. This fund was established to finance the election campaign of certified Maine Clean Election Act candidates. *Checking this box does not increase your tax or reduce your refund but reduces General Fund revenue by the same amount.*

Line 2. Check this box if at least two-thirds of your gross income for 2009 was from **commercial farming or fishing** as defined by the Internal Revenue Code. Include your spouse's income in your calculation if you are filing a joint return.

STEP 2: FILING STATUS

Lines 3-7. Check the box for the **filing status** properly used on your federal income tax return. If you check married filing separate, be sure to include your spouse's name and social security number.

Line 8. Check the appropriate boxes for you and your spouse if you or your spouse were **65 or over and/or blind** for federal income tax purposes.

STEP 3: EXEMPTIONS

Line 9. Enter the total number of **exemptions** properly claimed on your federal return.

STEP 4: CALCULATE YOUR TAXABLE INCOME

Line 10. Enter your **federal adjusted gross income** shown on your federal income tax return (federal Form 1040EZ, line 4 or 1040A, line 21 or 1040, line 37). Enter negative amounts with a minus sign in the box immediately to the left of the number.

Line 11. If you are an active member of the Maine Public Employees Retirement System (MePERS), enter the amount of your 2009 contributions on this line. Contributions to the MePERS are tax deferred for federal income tax purposes, but are taxable on the Maine return. To get the amount of your contributions, subtract the federal wages from the state wages on your State of Maine W-2 Form. NOTE: If you retired after 1988 and you are receiving benefits from the MePERS, you are entitled to a deduction on pension amounts received that were previously taxed by the State. To claim this deduction, you must file using the Long Form (1040ME).

Also enter on this line the amount of **unemployment compensation benefits** (except benefits issued by the U.S. Railroad Retirement Board) received during 2009 to the extent not included in federal gross income.

Line 12. Enter on this line income from direct obligations of the U.S. Government, such as **U.S. Government Savings Bonds and U.S. Treasury Bills and Notes**. Write only the amount of this interest that is included in your federal adjusted gross income.

Line 13. Enter the amount of **social security and railroad retirement benefits** (tier 1 and tier 2) that are included as taxable in your federal adjusted gross income.

Line 14. Pension Income Deduction. See instructions and worksheet on page 8.

Line 16. If you use the **standard deduction** on your federal return, you must use the Maine standard deduction on your Maine return.

If you itemize deductions on your Maine return (based on federal itemized deductions), you <u>must</u> file using the long form, 1040ME, and complete Schedule 2.

MAINE STANDARD DEDUCTION AMOUNTS:

S INGLE\$5,70	00
MARRIED FILING JOINTLY OR QUALIFYING WIDOW(ER)\$9,50	00
HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD\$8,38	50
MARRIED FILING SEPARATELY\$4,75	50

IF YOU CAN BE CLAIMED AS A **DEPENDENT** on another person's return, the standard deduction is the greater of \$950 or earned income plus \$300 (up to the standard deduction amount shown above for your filing status).

Additional Standard Deduction for Age and/or Blindness:

<u>Unmarried</u> (single or head of household): the additional amount is \$1,400 if the individual is 65 or over OR blind; \$2,800 if the individual is both 65 or over AND blind.

Married (whether filing jointly or separately) or a qualified widow(er): the additional standard deduction is \$1,100 if one spouse is age 65 or over OR blind; \$2,200 if one spouse is 65 or over AND blind; \$2,200 if both spouses are 65 or over OR blind; \$4,400 if both spouses are 65 or over AND blind, etc.. NOTE: If married filing separately, the additional deduction amounts pertaining to your spouse apply only if you can claim an exemption for him/her.

Line 17. Multiply the total number of **exemptions** on line 9 by \$2,850 and enter the result on this line.

Caution: If you filed federal Form 1040EZ and checked one or both boxes on line 5 of that form and line F of the "Worksheet for dependents who checked one or both boxes on line 5" is zero (see reverse side of federal Form 1040EZ), enter zero on line 17 of your Maine short form. If you checked one or both boxes on federal Form 1040EZ, line 5 and line F of the worksheet is \$3,650, enter \$2,850 on line 17 of your Maine short form.

STEP 5: CALCULATE YOUR TAX & CONTRIBUTIONS

Line 19. Find the **income tax** for the taxable income on line 18 in the tax table on pages 9 through 11 or compute your tax based on the tax rate schedule on page 11.

Line 21. If your taxable income, line 18, is \$2,000 or less, neither you nor your spouse (if married) is claimed as a dependent on somebody else's return, and you are not subject to the Maine Minimum Tax, you are entitled to a low-income tax credit equal to the income tax that would normally be due. If you qualify, enter the amount from line 20 on this line. You are not required to file a return if you qualify for this credit. However, you must file a return to claim any refund due to you.

Line 22. Your Maine earned income tax credit is equal to 4% of your federal earned income tax credit but only to the extent of your Maine tax liability. The Maine earned income tax credit is not refundable. Enter the amount of your federal credit in the space provided and multiply that amount by .04. Enter the result in the boxes provided.

Line 24. Enter the total amount of **Maine income tax withheld**. Enclose **(do not staple or tape)** supporting W-2 and 1099 forms (including Form 1099ME, if applicable). Legible photocopies of your W-2 or 1099 forms on 8 1/2 by 11 inch paper are preferred.

Line 27. If you have purchased items for use in Maine from retailers who do not collect the Maine sales tax (such as businesses in other states and many mail order and internet sellers), you may owe **Maine use tax** on those items. The rate of tax for purchases in 2009 is 5%. If you paid another state's sales or use tax on any purchase, that amount may be credited against the Maine use

tax due on that purchase. If you do not know the exact amount of Maine use tax that you owe, either multiply your Maine adjusted gross income from line 15 by .08% (.0008) or use the table below. **NOTE:** For items that cost \$1,000 or more, you must add the tax on those items to the percentage or table amount. Use tax on items that cost more than \$5,000 must be reported on an individual use tax return by the 15th day of the month following its purchase. For additional information on Maine use tax visit www.maine.gov/revenue/salesuse/usetax/usetax.html or call (207) 624-9693.

<u>USE TAX TABLE</u>												
	Adjusted Income	Use Tax Amount	Maine Gross	Use Tax Amount								
At Least	Less Than	Amount		Less Than	Amount							
\$ 0	\$ 6,000	\$ 5	\$30,000	\$ 36,000	\$ 29							
6,000	12,000	10	36,000	42,000	34							
12,000	18,000	14	42,000	48,000	38							
18,000	24,000	19	48,000	54,000	43							
24,000	30,000	24	54,000	60,000	48							
	60,000 an	d up — .08%	of Maine 104	40S-ME, Line	15							

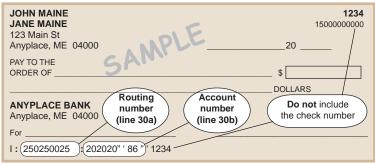
Line 27a. If you collected \$2,000 or less in sales tax on casual rentals of living quarters, you may report the tax on this line. Multiply the rentals received in 2009 not reported on any sales tax return by 7% (.07). For additional information on the sales tax on rentals, call (207) 624-9693. Note: To report sales tax greater than \$2,000, you must file a sales/use tax return to report all sales you owe to the State of Maine. Sales and use tax forms are available at www.maine.gov/revenue/salesuse/returnlink.htm.

Line 28. Enter the total amount of voluntary contributions and state park pass purchases from line 14 of Schedule CP.

STEP 6: CALCULATE YOUR REFUND OR BALANCE DUE

Line 29. Enter the amount of your **refund**. Refunds of more than \$1.00 will be issued to you. Checks that are returned to us cannot be remailed until the correct address is known.

Line 30. You may have your refund directly deposited into your checking or savings account (if it is \$10,000 or less) or to an existing NextGen College Investing Plan® Account (NextGen® Account). (The NextGen Program is administered by the Finance Authority of Maine.) Refunds directed to a NextGen Account are subject to the terms and conditions of the Program Description, Participation Agreement and any Supplement(s) thereto. To comply with banking rules, you must check the box to the left of line 30b if your refund is going to an account outside the United States. If you check the box, we will mail you a paper check.



Note: The routing and account numbers may be in different places on your check.

On <u>line 30a</u>, enter the 9-digit routing transit number (RTN). The RTN must begin with 01 through 12 or 21 through 32. If it does not, the direct deposit will be rejected and a refund check will be sent instead. **ENTRIES MUST BE ACCURATE.** If you are unsure what your RTN is, contact your financial institution. **NOTE:** If you are directing your refund to a NextGen Account, enter the following RTN: **043000261.**

On <u>line 30b</u>, enter your account number. The account number can be up to 17 digits long (both numbers and letters). Omit hyphens, spaces and special symbols. Enter the number from left to right and leave any unused spaces blank. *NOTE:* For NextGen Accounts, the account number is the account owner's 9-digit social security number.

On <u>line 30c</u>, check the box for the appropriate account type.

Line 31. This is the **amount you owe**. Do not send cash. If the amount you owe is less than \$1.00, do not pay it.

Remit your payment electronically using Maine EZ Pay at www.maine.gov/revenue or enclose (do not staple or tape) a check or money order payable to Treasurer, State of Maine. Include your complete name, address and telephone number on your check or money order. Note: If the amount due is \$1,000 or more, you may owe a penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. We can calculate the penalty for you and bill you, or you can file using the Maine Long Form (1040ME) and complete Form 2210ME to calculate your penalty.

Line 32. FOR MAINE RESIDENTS ONLY: Check this box if you would like to receive a Maine Residents Property Tax and Rent Refund "Circuitbreaker" Program application in August for property tax assessed or rent paid in 2009. The Circuitbreaker Program is

a property tax relief program for qualified homeowners or renters who live in Maine. Although the program that begins August 1, 2010 may change, the current program (that ends June 1, 2010) is generally available to Maine residents with 2008 household income up to \$81,850 for multi-member households or up to \$61,400 for single-member households. Also, your 2008 property taxes must have been greater than 4% of your income or your 2008 rent must have been greater than 20% of your income. The application period for the next program is August 1, 2010 through May 31, 2011.

THIRD PARTY DESIGNEE. Complete this section if you would like to allow Maine Revenue Services to call or accept information from another person to discuss your 2009 Maine Individual Income Tax Return. Choose any 5-digit PIN which will be used to ensure MRS employees only speak with the individual you have designated. This authorization will automatically end no later than the due date (without regard to extensions) for filing your 2010 tax return. For most people, this is April 15, 2011.



MAINE INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX 1040S-ME RESIDENT **SHORT** FORM





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IMPORTANT! You must enter your SSN(s) below. Print Neatly in Blue or Black Ink, Using Upper Case Letters Your First Name Your Last Name Your Social Security Number Spouse's First Name Spouse's Last Name Spouse's Social Security Number DO NOT STAPLE OR TAPE FORMS TO YOUR RETURN. ENCLOSE CHECK OR MONEY ORDER AND W-2 OR 1099 FORMS IN THE ENVELOPE WITH YOUR RETURN. Mailing Address (PO Box, number, street and apt. no) Home Phone Number Work Phone Number City Zip Code State ______ NOTE: If either spouse is deceased, enter the date of death on the back of this page in the spaces provided above the signature area. 1 Maine Clean Election Fund - (See instructions on page 3.) NOTE: Checking 2 Check here if you were engaged in the box will <u>not</u> increase your tax or reduce your refund. YES NO COMMERCIAL FARMING OR FISHING Do you want \$3 to go to this fund..... during 2009. (See Instructions) If a joint return, does your spouse want \$3 to go to this fund...... FILING STATUS (Check one) Indicate Your Filing Status 3 Single 8 CHECK IF: You **Spouse** were was 4 Married filing joint return (Even if only one had income) Married filing separate return. Enter spouse's social security number and full name above. 5 65 or over 8a 6 Head of household (With qualifying person) *Blind.....*8b Qualifying widow(er) with dependent child (Year spouse died _____) 10 FEDERAL ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME. (See instructions on page 3 for line references to federal forms. If negative, enter a minus sign in the space to the left of the number.)....... 10 11 MAINE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM CONTRIBUTIONS and 13 SOCIAL SECURITY AND RAILROAD RETIREMENT BENEFITS included in your federal Calculate Your Taxable Income 15 MAINE ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME. (Add lines 10 and 11, subtract lines 12, 13, and 14. 17 EXEMPTION. (Multiply number of exemptions on line 9 by \$2,850)......17 18 TAXABLE INCOME. (Line 15 minus lines 16 and 17. If negative, enter a minus sign in the space to the left of the number.)......18 19 INCOME TAX. (Find the tax for the amount on line 18 in the tax table on pages 9-11 or compute your tax using the tax rate schedule on page 11. If line 18 is negative, enter zero.)......19

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21 LOW-INCOME CREDIT. If the amount on line 18 is \$2,000 or less and neither you nor your Calculate Your Tax and Voluntary Contributions spouse (if married) are claimed on another person's return, enter the amount on line 20 here21 NOTE: You are not required to file a return if you qualify for this credit. (See instructions) 22 EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT (EIC). Your federal EIC \$ _____ x .04. Enter result here...... 22 ____ , 24 MAINE INCOME TAX WITHHELD. (Enclose W-2 and 1099 forms)..... ⇒ 24 (DO NOT include estimated tax payments) 25 OVERPAYMENT. If line 24 is larger than line 23, subtract line 23 from line 24. Enter result here...25 26 UNDERPAYMENT. If line 23 is larger than line 24, subtract line 24 from line 23. Enter result here .. 26 TOTAL VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS AND PARK PASS PURCHASES. (From REFUND. (Line 25 minus lines 27, 27a and 28) - NOTE: If total of lines 27, 27a and 28 is greater than line 25, subtract line 25 from the total of lines 27, 27a and 28 and enter the amount on line 31 below....29 Calculate Your Refund or Amount Due IF YOU WOULD LIKE YOUR REFUND DEPOSITED DIRECTLY TO YOUR BANK ACCOUNT (\$10,000 or less) OR TO A NEXTGEN COLLEGE INVESTING PLAN® ACCOUNT, read the instructions on page 4 and fill out the information below. Check this box if this 30a Routing Number* _ **30c** Type of Account: Checking refund will go to an *For NextGen Accounts, enter 043000261 Savings account outside the United States..... 30b Account Number* NextGen® *For NextGen Accounts, enter the account owner's 9-digit social security number (do not enter hyphens). 31 AMOUNT DUE. Line 26 plus lines 27, 27a and 28. (OR If total of lines 27, 27a and 28 is greater than line 25, subtract line 25 from the total of lines 27, 27a and 28). (If \$1,000 or more, see instructions.) Enter result here.31 EZ PAY at www.maine.gov/revenue or ENCLOSE CHECK payable to: Treasurer, State of Maine. DO NOT SEND CASH. FOR MAINE RESIDENTS ONLY: Check this box if you would like to receive a Maine Residents Property Tax and Rent Refund Application in 2010: mIm I See instructions on page 4 for information about the Tax and Rent "Circuitbreaker" Program. THE APPLICATION WILL BE MAILED TO YOU IN AUGUST 2010 unless your income on line 15 exceeds the income limits for this program. To reduce printing and postage costs if you file your return electronically, use tax preparation software or have your return done by a tax preparer and do not need Maine income tax forms and instructions mailed to you next year, check box at right. (Year) If taxpayer is **deceased**, (Month) If spouse is **deceased**, (Month) enter date of death. enter date of death. -------_____ **Third Party** Do you want to allow another person to discuss this return with Maine Revenue Services? **Yes** (complete the following). No. Designee (See page 4) Designee's name Phone no. (Personal identification #: Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return and accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge. SIGN SIGN HERE Your Signature Keep a Date signed Your occupation copy of this return Spouse's signature (if joint return, both must sign) Date signed Spouse's occupation for your records Preparer's signature Date Preparer's phone number Paid Preparer's Print preparer's name and name of business Use Preparer's SSN or PTIN Only If requesting a REFUND, mail to: Maine Revenue Services, P.O. Box 9110, Augusta, ME 04332-9110 OFFICE USE If NOT requesting a refund, mail to: Maine Revenue Services, P.O. Box 1066, Augusta, ME 04332-1066 IS ONLY:

DO NOT SEND PHOTOCOPIES OF RETURNS

Schedule CP Attachment Sequence No. 6

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS and PURCHASE OF PARK PASSES



Name(s) as shown on your Maine income tax form

Your Social Security	Number

WHO SHOULD FILE SCHEDULE CP? You only need to file Schedule CP if you want to make voluntary contributions to any of the organizations listed below or if you choose to purchase a park pass for entry into Maine State Parks. Otherwise do not file Schedule CP. Enter line totals below: Democratic Party Other \$1 Other \$_____2 Green Independent Party \$5 \$10 Other \$ Republican Party ____3 _____, _____.___. CONTRIBUTIONS Endangered & Nongame Wildlife Fund "Chickadee Check-off" \$10 Other \$ _____4 Other \$_____5 Maine Children's Trust Other \$_____6 Bone Marrow Screening Fund \$5 Other \$ Companion Animal Sterilization Fund Other \$_____8 Maine Military Family Relief Fund Maine Veterans' Memorial Cemetery Other \$_____9 Maintenance Fund 10 Maine Asthma & Lung Disease \$25 Other \$ _____ ...10 ____, ____, ____ \$5 Research Fund x \$3512 _____ Number of Individual Park Passes PARK **PASSES** x \$7013 _____ Number of Vehicle Park Passes

A. CONTRIBUTIONS. Lines 1-10. Check the appropriate box or boxes to indicate the funds and amounts of your choice. Political party designations may only be made by Maine residents. You and/or your spouse may make separate party designations for political party contributions. Write in the amount of your contributions on the corresponding line. Part A contributions may be deductible the following year on state and federal income tax returns.

Contributions to the **Endangered and Nongame** Wildlife Fund "Chickadee Check-off" are used to fund the endangered and nongame wildlife programs. For more information, visit www. maine.gov/ifw/wildlife/species/endangered species/nongame fund.htm.

Contributions to the Maine Children's Trust are used to prevent child abuse and neglect throughout Maine. The fund is administered by the Maine Children's Trust. For more information, visit www.mechildrenstrust.org.

Contributions to the Bone Marrow Screening Fund are used to support blood screening to add people to the National Bone Marrow Registry. As a result, people with certain cancers, genetic disorders, or autoimmune illnesses who are in

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Enter result here and on Form 1040ME, line 32 or Form 1040S-ME, line 28)......14

TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS AND PARK PASS PURCHASES (Add lines 11, 12, and 13.

need of a bone marrow or other similar transplant will have more potential donors. The fund is administered by the Department of Health and Human Services.

Contributions to the Companion Animal Sterilization Fund are placed in the Companion Animal Sterilization Fund and used to fund the Animal Welfare Program's "Help Fix ME" Spay/Neuter Fund for low-income dog and cat owners. The fund is administered by the Department of Agriculture. For more information call 800-367-1317.

Contributions to the Maine Military Family Relief Fund are used to assist the families of persons who are members of the Maine National Guard or residents of Maine who are members of the Reserves and who have been called to military duty and are experiencing financial hardship. The fund is administered by the Maine Adjutant General.

Contributions to the Maine Veterans' Memorial Cemetery Maintenance Fund are used to help finance the maintenance and perpetual care of Maine veterans' cemeteries.

Contributions to the Maine Asthma and Lung Disease Fund are used to provide research grants to develop and advance the understanding

of lung disease, especially its prevention, causes, treatment and cure. The fund is administered by the American Lung Association of Maine.

B. PARK PASSES. Maine Park passes can be purchased through Maine Revenue Services when you file your income tax return. Note that visitors 65 years or over are admitted to Maine State Park day-use areas free of charge upon proof of age. An individual pass allows only the pass holder admittance to day use of Maine state parks and historic sites. A vehicle pass (for vehicles weighing up to one-ton) allows all occupants of the vehicle admittance to day use. These passes do not include entry into Baxter State Park, Allagash Wilderness Waterway, the Penobscot River Corridor or Scarborough Beach. Any pass purchased will reduce the amount of your refund or increase the amount you owe. If you have any questions regarding the purchase of park passes, please call the Bureau of Parks and Lands at (207) 287-3821.

To be sure you have your park pass when State Parks begin collecting fees, please file Schedule CP with your income tax return as early as possible. Expect some delays in processing when filing your return later in the season.

2009 - Worksheet for Pension Income Deduction - Form 1040S-ME, Line 14 Enclose this Worksheet and copies of your 1099 form(s) with your Form 1040S-ME

You and your spouse (if married) may each deduct up to \$6,000 of eligible pension income* that is included in your federal adjusted gross income. Except for military pension benefits, the \$6,000 cap must be reduced by any social security and railroad retirement benefits received, whether taxable or not.

Deductible pension income includes state, federal and military pension benefits, as well as retirement benefits received from plans established and maintained by an employer for the benefit of its employees under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) sections 401(a) (Qualified Pension Plans, including qualified 401 SIMPLE plans) and 403 (Employee annuities). Deductible pension income also includes benefits received under IRC section 457(b) (State and local government/tax exempt organizations/eligible deferred compensation plans), except that pension income from 457(b) plans received prior to age 55 that is not part of a series of equal periodic payments made over the life of the recipient and the recipient's designated beneficiary, if applicable, may not be included in the deductible pension amount.

Pension benefits that <u>do not qualify</u> are those received from an individual retirement account (including SIMPLE individual retirement accounts), simplified employee pension plan, benefits from an ineligible deferred compensation plan under IRC section 457(f), refunds of excess contributions, lump-sum distributions included on federal Form 4972 and distributions subject to the additional 10% federal tax on early distributions (see federal Form 5329, Part 1, or federal Form 1040, line 58). Also, disability benefits reported as wages on your federal income tax return <u>do not</u> qualify.

*Eligible pension income does not include benefits earned by another person, except in the case of a surviving spouse. Only the individual that earned the benefit from prior employment may claim the pension income for the deduction. However, a widowed spouse receiving survivor's benefits under an eligible pension plan may claim that amount for purposes of this deduction, but the total pension deduction for the surviving spouse may not exceed \$6,000.

NOTE: Enter eligible <u>non-military</u> pension benefits on line 1 and eligible <u>military</u> pension benefits on line 6.									
1. Total eligible non-military pension income (both Maine and non-Maine sources) included in yo federal adjusted gross income (from federal Form 1040A, line 12b or Form 1040, line 16b). (Do n include social security or railroad retirement benefits received or pension benefits received from a individual retirement account, simplified employee pension plan, an ineligible deferred compensation plan under IRC § 457(f), lump-sum distributions included on federal Form 4972, distributions subject to the additional 10% federal tax on early distributions or refunds of excess contributions).	Taxpayer \$	Spouse*							
Maximum allowable deduction	2.	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 6,000.00						
3. Total social security and railroad retirement benefits you received - whether taxable or not	3.	\$	\$						
4. Subtract line 3 from line 2 (if zero or less, enter zero)	4.	\$	\$						
5. Enter the smaller of line 1 or line 4 here	5.	\$	\$						
6. Total eligible military pension income included in your federal adjusted gross income	6.	\$	\$						
7. Add line 5 and line 6	7.	\$	\$						
8. Enter the smaller of line 2 or line 7 here and the total for both spouses on line 14, Form 1040S-ME	8.	\$	\$						

*Use this column only if filing married-joint return and only if spouse separately earned an eligible pension.

2009 MAINE INCOME TAX TABLE

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21,100	21,200	1,118	723	914		28,100	28,200	1,713	1,213	1,404		35,100	35,200	2,308	1,703	1,968
21,200	21,300	1,127	730	921		28,200	28,300	1,722	1,220	1,411		35,200	35,300	2,317	1,710	1,976
21,300	21,400	1,135	737	928		28,300	28,400	1,730	1,227	1,418		35,300	35,400	2,325	1,717	1,985
21,400	21,500	1,144	744	935		28,400	28,500	1,739	1,234	1,425		35,400	35,500	2,334	1,724	1,993
21,500	21,600	1,152	751	942		28,500	28,600	1,747	1,241	1,432		35,500	35,600	2,342	1,731	2,002
21,600	21,700	1,161	758 765	949		28,600	28,700	1,756	1,248	1,439		35,600	35,700	2,351	1,738	2,010
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21,900	22,000	1,186	779	970		28,900	29,000	1,781	1,269	1,460		35,900	36,000	2,376	1,759	2,036
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22,100	22,200	1,203	793	984		29,100	29,200	1,798	1,283	1,474		36,100	36,200	2,393	1,773	2,053
22,200	22,300	1,212	800	991		29,200	29,300	1,807	1,290	1,481		36,200	36,300	2,402	1,780	2,061
22,300	22,400	1,220	807	998		29,300	29,400	1,815	1,297	1,488		36,300	36,400	2,410	1,787	2,070
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22,900	23,000	1,271	849	1,033		29,900	30,000	1,866	1,339	1,530		36,900	37,000	2,461	1,829	2,112
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23,100	23,200	1,288	863	1,054		30,100	30,200	1,883	1,353	1,544		37,100	37,200	2,478	1,843	2,138
23,200	23,300	1,297	870	1,061		30,200	30,300	1,892	1,360	1,551		37,200	37,300	2,487	1,850	2,146
23,300	23,400	1,305	877	1,068		30,300	30,400	1,900	1,367	1,560		37,300	37,400	2,495	1,857	2,155
23,400	23,500	1,314	884	1,075		30,400	30,500	1,909	1,374	1,568		37,400	37,500	2,504	1,864	2,163
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23,700	23,800	1,339	905	1,009		30,700	30,800	1,934	1,395	1,594		37,700	37,800	2,529	1,885	2,189
23,800	23,900	1,348	912	1,103		30,800	30,900	1,943	1,402	1,602		37,800	37,900	2,538	1,892	2,197
23,900	24,000	1,356	919	1,110		30,900	31,000	1,951	1,409	1,611		37,900	38,000	2,546	1,899	2,206
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24,000	24,100	1,365	926	1,117		31,000	31,100	1,960	1,416	1,619		38,000	38,100	2,555	1,906	2,214
24,100	24,200	1,373	933	1,124		31,100	31,200	1,968	1,423	1,628		38,100	38,200	2,563	1,913	2,223
24,200	24,300	1,382	940	1,131		31,200	31,300	1,977	1,430	1,636		38,200	38,300	2,572	1,920	2,231
24,300	24,400	1,390	947	1,138		31,300	31,400	1,985	1,437	1,645		38,300	38,400	2,580	1,927	2,240
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24,700	24,800	1,424	975	1,166		31,700	31,800	2,019	1,465	1,679		38,700	38,800	2,614	1,955	2,274
24,800	24,900	1,433	982	1,173		31,800	31,900	2,028	1,472	1,687		38,800	38,900	2,623	1,962	2,282
24,900	25,000	1,441	989	1,180		31,900	32,000	2,036	1,479	1,696		38,900	39,000	2,631	1,969	2,291
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25,100	25,200	1,458	1,003	1,194		32,100	32,200	2,053	1,493	1,713		39,100	39,200	2,648	1,983	2,308
25,200	25,300	1,467 1,475	1,010	1,201		32,200	32,300	2,062	1,500 1,507	1,721 1,730		39,200	39,300	2,657 2,665	1,990	2,316
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25,500	25,600	1,492	1,024	1,213		32,500	32,600	2,079	1,514	1,730		39,500	39,600	2,674	2,004	2,333
25,600	25,700	1,501	1,038	1,229		32,600	32,700	2,096	1,528	1,755		39,600	39,700	2,691	2,018	2,350
25,700	25,800	1,509	1,045	1,236		32,700	32,800	2,104	1,535	1,764		39,700	39,800	2,699	2,025	2,359
25,800	25,900	1,518	1,052	1,243		32,800	32,900	2,113	1,542	1,772		39,800	39,900	2,708	2,032	2,367
25,900	26,000	1,526	1,059	1,250		32,900	33,000	2,121	1,549	1,781		39,900	40,000	2,716	2,039	2,376
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26,000	26,100	1,535	1,066	1,257		33,000	33,100	2,130	1,556	1,789		40,000	40,100	2,725	2,046	2,384
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26,400	26,500	1,569	1,007	1,285		33,400	33,500	2,164	1,584	1,823		40,400	40,500	2,759	2,007	2,410
26,500	26,600	1,577	1,101	1,292		33,500	33,600	2,172	1,591	1,832		40,500	40,600	2,767	2,084	2,427
26,600	26,700	1,586	1,108	1,299		33,600	33,700	2,181	1,598	1,840		40,600	40,700	2,776	2,093	2,435
26,700	26,800	1,594	1,115	1,306		33,700	33,800	2,189	1,605	1,849		40,700	40,800	2,784	2,101	2,444
26,800	26,900	1,603	1,122	1,313		33,800	33,900	2,198	1,612	1,857		40,800	40,900	2,793	2,110	2,452
26,900	27,000	1,611	1,129	1,320		33,900	34,000	2,206	1,619	1,866		40,900	41,000	2,801	2,118	2,461
27,000 27,000	27,100	1,620	1,136	1,327		34,000 34,000	34,100	2,215	1,626	1.074	+	41,000 41,000	41,100	2,810	2,127	2,469
27,000	27,100	1,628	1,136	1,327		34,000	34,100	2,215	1,626	1,874 1,883		41,100	41,100	2,810	2,127	2,469 2,478
27,100	27,200	1,637	1,143	1,334		34,100	34,200	2,223	1,633	1,891		41,100	41,300	2,827	2,133	2,476
27,300	27,400	1,645	1,157	1,348		34,300	34,400	2,240	1,647	1,900		41,300	41,400	2,835	2,152	2,495
27,400	27,500	1,654	1,164	1,355		34,400	34,500	2,249	1,654	1,908		41,400	41,500	2,844	2,161	2,503
27,500	27,600	1,662	1,171	1,362		34,500	34,600	2,257	1,661	1,917		41,500	41,600	2,852	2,169	2,512
27,600	27,700	1,671	1,178	1,369		34,600	34,700	2,266	1,668	1,925		41,600	41,700	2,861	2,178	2,520
27,700	27,800	1,679	1,185	1,376		34,700	34,800	2,274	1,675	1,934		41,700	41,800	2,869	2,186	2,529
27,800	27,900	1,688	1,192	1,383		34,800	34,900	2,283	1,682	1,942		41,800	41,900	2,878	2,195	2,537
27,900	28,000	1,696	1,199	1,390		34,900	35,000	2,291	1,689	1,951		41,900	42,000	2,886	2,203	2,546

2009 MAINE INCOME TAX TABLE

If Line 1	18 Form	And	Your Filing	1]	If Line 1	8 Form	And Your Filing				If Line 1	18 Form	And Your Filing			
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42,300	42,400	2,920	2,223	2,580		49,300	49,400	3,515	2,832	3,175		54,300	54,400	3,940	3,257	3,600	
42,400	42,500	2,929	2,246	2,588		49,400	49,500	3,524	2,841	3,183		54,400	54,500	3,949	3,266	3,608	
42,500	42,600	2,937	2,254	2,597		49,500	49,600	3,532	2,849	3,192		54,500	54,600	3,957	3,274	3,617	
42,600	42,700	2,946	2,263	2,605		49,600	49,700	3,541	2,858	3,200		54,600	54,700	3,966	3,283	3,625	
42,700	42,800	2,954	2,271	2,614		49,700	49,800	3,549	2,866	3,209		54,700	54,800	3,974	3,291	3,634	
42,800	42,900	2,963	2,280	2,622		49,800	49,900	3,558	2,875	3,217		54,800	54,900	3,983	3,300	3,642	
42,900	43,000	2,971	2,288	2,631		49,900	50,000	3,566	2,883	3,226		54,900	55,000	3,991	3,308	3,651	
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43,000	43,100	2,980	2,297	2,639		50,000	50,100	3,575	2,892	3,234		55,000	55,100	4,000	3,317	3,659	
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43,200	43,300	2,997	2,314	2,656		50,200	50,300	3,592	2,909	3,251		55,200	55,300	4,017	3,334	3,676	
43,300	43,400	3,005	2,322	2,665		50,300	50,400	3,600	2,917	3,260		55,300	55,400	4,025	3,342	3,685	
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43,800	43,900	3,048	2,365	2,707		50,700	50,900	3,643	2,960	3,302		55,800	55,900	4,068	3,385	3,719	
43,900	44,000	3,056	2,373	2,716		50,900	51,000	3,651	2,968	3,311		55,900	56,000	4,076	3,393	3,736	
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44,100	44,200	3,073	2,390	2,733		51,100	51,200	3,668	2,985	3,328		56,100	56,200	4,093	3,410	3,753	
44,200	44,300	3,082	2,399	2,741		51,200	51,300	3,677	2,994	3,336		56,200	56,300	4,102	3,419	3,761	
44,300	44,400	3,090	2,407	2,750		51,300	51,400	3,685	3,002	3,345		56,300	56,400	4,110	3,427	3,770	
44,400	44,500	3,099	2,416	2,758		51,400	51,500	3,694	3,011	3,353		56,400	56,500	4,119	3,436	3,778	
44,500	44,600	3,107	2,424	2,767		51,500	51,600	3,702	3,019	3,362		56,500	56,600	4,127	3,444	3,787	
44,600	44,700	3,116	2,433	2,775		51,600	51,700	3,711	3,028	3,370		56,600	56,700	4,136	3,453	3,795	
44,700	44,800	3,124	2,441	2,784		51,700	51,800	3,719	3,036	3,379		56,700	56,800	4,144	3,461	3,804	
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45,100	45,200	3,158	2,475	2,818		52,100	52,200	3,753	3,070	3,413		57,100	57,200	4,178	3,495	3,838	
45,200	45,300	3,167	2,484 2,492	2,826		52,200	52,300	3,762 3,770	3,079	3,421		57,200	57,300	4,187	3,504	3,846	
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45,500	45,600	3,192	2,509	2,852		52,500	52,600	3,787	3,104	3,447		57,500	57,600	4,212	3,529	3,872	
45,600	45,700	3,201	2,518	2,860		52,600	52,700	3,796	3,113	3,455		57,600	57,700	4,221	3,538	3,880	
45,700	45,800	3,209	2,526	2,869		52,700	52,800	3,804	3,121	3,464		57,700	57,800	4,229	3,546	3,889	
45,800	45,900	3,218	2,535	2,877		52,800	52,900	3,813	3,130	3,472		57,800	57,900	4,238	3,555	3,897	
45,900	46,000	3,226	2,543	2,886		52,900	53,000	3,821	3,138	3,481		57,900	58,000	4,246	3,563	3,906	
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46,000	46,100	3,235	2,552	2,894		53,000	53,100	3,830	3,147	3,489		58,000		4,250	3,567	3,910	
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46,200	46,300	3,252	2,569	2,911		53,200	53,300	3,847	3,164	3,506				8.5% of	8.5% of	8.5% of	
46,300	46,400	3,260	2,577	2,920		53,300	53,400	3,855	3,172	3,515				excess	excess	excess	
46,400	46,500	3,269	2,586	2,928		53,400	53,500	3,864	3,181	3,523				over	over	over	
46,500	46,600	3,277	2,594	2,937		53,500	53,600	3,872	3,189	3,532				\$58,000	\$58,000	\$58,000	
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47,100	47,300	3,337	2,654	2,996				For Single In			ried I			arate Returi	n		
47,300	47,400	3,345	2,662	3,005				income on 104	OS-ME, line	e 18 is:		The Tax is					
47,400	47,500	3,354	2,671	3,013			s than \$5,						e taxable i				
47,500	47,600	3,362	2,679	3,022			5,050	but less than	\$ 10,0			\$ 101		of excess over			
47,600	47,700	3,371	2,688	3,030			10,050	but less than	\$ 20,1	50		\$ 326		of excess ove			
47,700	47,800	3,379	2,696	3,039		\$ 2	20,150	or more				\$1,033	•	of excess ove			
47,800	47,900	3,388	2,705	3,047			For Uni	married or Le	gally Se	parated	Indiv	iduals Fi	ling as He	eads of Hou	seholds		
47,900	48,000	3,396	2,713	3,056		<u>If</u> th		income on 104				The Tax is					
48,000	40		0.555		-		s than \$7,						e taxable i				
48,000	48,100	3,405	2,722	3,064			7,600	but less than	\$ 15,1			\$ 152		of excess ove			
48,100	48,200	3,413	2,730	3,073			5,100	but less than	\$ 30,2	250		\$ 490	•	of excess over			
48,200	48,300	3,422	2,739	3,081		\$ 3	30,250	or more				\$1,551	plus 8.5%	of excess over	er \$ 30,	250	
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48,500	48,600	3,439	2,764	3,098		If th		income on 104				The Tax is					
48,600	48,700	3,456	2,773	3,107			s than \$10		,				e taxable i	ncome			
48,700	48,800	3,464	2,773	3,124			0,150	but less than	\$ 20,1	50		\$ 203		of excess ove	er \$10,	150	
48,800	48,900	3,473	2,790	3,132			20,150	but less than	\$ 40,3	350		\$ 653		of excess over			
48,900	49,000	3,481	2,798	3,141		\$ 4	10,350	or more				\$2,067	plus 8.5%	of excess over	er \$ 40,	350	
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Should I file a Maine income tax return? If you are a resident of Maine who is required to file a federal income tax return, you must file a Maine income tax return. If you are not required to file a federal return, but do have income subject to Maine income tax resulting in a Maine income tax liability, a Maine return must be filed. You do not have to file a Maine income tax return if you meet all of the following requirements: 1) your Maine taxable income is \$2,000 or less, 2) you claim yourself as an exemption on your return, AND 3) you are not subject to the Maine Minimum Tax. However, you must file a return to claim any refund due to you.

If you are a nonresident or a "Safe Harbor" resident who has income from Maine sources resulting in a Maine income tax liability, you <u>must</u> file a Maine income tax return. However, you may not be required to file if the number of days worked in Maine as an employee is 10 or less and your only Maine income is compensation for personal services. See 36 MRSA § 5142(8-A).

When must I file my return? No later than April 15, 2010.

I am getting a refund this year. When will I get my check? Please allow at least eight weeks for your refund to arrive before you contact us. For automated information about the status of your refund request, visit www.maine.gov/revenue (select Where's My Refund).

What if I need more time to file? Maine allows an *automatic* six-month extension of time to file. Requests for additional time to file must be submitted in writing <u>prior</u> to the expiration of the six-month period. Generally, the total extension period cannot exceed eight months.

Caution: An extension to file your Maine return is not an extension for payment of tax. If you owe tax, you must pay at least 90% of that amount by the original due date for filing your return (April 15, 2010 for calendar-year filers) and the remaining 10% must be paid when the return is filed on or before October 15, 2010 in order to avoid the penalty for late payment of tax. However, interest is charged on any tax paid after the original due date of your return.

Remit your extension payment electronically using Maine EZ Pay (no forms required) at www.maine.gov/revenue or download the payment voucher at www.maine.gov/revenue/forms by the original due date for filing your Maine return.

What should I do if there is a change in my Maine tax liability? You must file a Maine amended return if you file a federal amended return, if the Internal Revenue Service makes a change to your federal return, or if your Maine tax liability changes for any other reason. Individuals must file a Maine amended return (1040X-ME) within 90 days after filing a federal amended return or after receiving final determination of any change by the Internal Revenue Service. Maine imposes a penalty for

failure to notify the state of these changes. When filing a Maine amended return, attach a copy of your federal amended return (Form 1040X) or the Internal Revenue Service agent's report to your form. If the change is to the Maine return only, include a description of the change on page 2 of Form 1040X-ME.

What if I am unable to pay my taxes? File your return by the due date and request a payment plan. In your request, give your name, social security number, and the amount of money you can pay and indicate how often you can make that payment. Your first payment should be submitted with the request and you should continue to make the payments as you have indicated until Maine Revenue Services contacts you. Indicate your name, address, telephone number and tax year on your check or money order. Requests should be forwarded to Maine Revenue Services, Compliance Division, 888 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04332-0888. Also, you may call (207) 621-4300 or e-mail compliance.tax@maine.gov.

What if I file or pay late? You will be charged interest. For calendar year 2010, the interest rate is 7%, compounded monthly, on income tax not paid by the due date (April 15, 2010 for calendar-year filers). An extension allows only additional time to file; it does not allow additional time for payment of tax due or prevent accrual of interest.

In addition to interest, a penalty is assessed for late filing. A separate penalty is assessed for the late payment of tax. The **penalty for late filing** is \$25 or 10% of the tax due, whichever is greater. If a tax return is not filed upon demand, the penalty for late filing is 100% of the tax due. The **penalty for late payment** of the tax is 1% per month up to a maximum of 25%. Both penalties are assessed when the return is filed late and the tax is paid late. The law also provides for penalties for underpaying estimated tax, preparing or filing a fraudulent income tax return, and for understating income. For more information on late filing, see 36 MRSA § 5278 or visit www.maine.gov/revenue.

What if I am an innocent or injured spouse? Maine Revenue Services acknowledges Innocent and Injured Spouse Claims (see federal Form 8379 or Form 8857 and related instructions) for purposes of individual income tax only. For more information call the Compliance Division of Maine Revenue Services at (207) 624-9595 or e-mail compliance.tax@maine.gov. If you believe that your refund may be set off to pay a debt other than an income tax debt, you must contact the other tax department or agency directly to request injured spouse relief.

Am I required to file and pay estimated tax? See the instructions for Form 1040ES-ME at www.maine.gov/revenue/forms.